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YIQING ZHOU ET AL.

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DECLARATION OF JIAXIANG SHEN

I, Jiaxiang Shen, do hereby declare and say as follows:

1. That I am a Graduate of the University of London where I received in 1947 the Bachelor's Degree in Pharmacy;

That in 1949 I completed my dissertation at the University of London and received the Degree of Ph. D. ;

That I am now a Professor of Pharmaceutical Chemistry;

That I am the author of about 30 publications in the field of Pharmaceutical Chemistry;

That I am a member of the following professional organizations;

Chinese Pharmaceutical Association;

French National Academy of Pharmaceutical Science;

That I am the Honorary President, National Institute of Pharmaceutical Research and Development, Beijing, China;

2. That in 1989 I was authorized to organize a meeting of the Scientific Working Group on the Chemotherapy of Malaria (CHEMAL) by the UNDP/World Bank/WHO Special Programme for Research and Training in Tropical Diseases which was held in Beijing, China on April 24—25 1989;

That scientific sessions of the meeting were jointly chaired by Dr. G. B. Ellion and myself as a co—chairman;

That 18 scientists were formally invited to take part in this meeting in addition to the Steering Committee members of the Scientific Working Group and staff from the WHO;

3. That Professor Yiqing Zhou did present a working paper entitled "Preclinical studies on drug combinations of Artemether and Benflumetol" during the scientific sessions of the meeting;

That the data presented were considered confidential, pending further review for publication;

That I was also informed in writing that the working papers and the contents of the discussions would be edited by CHEMAL and arranged for publication which would be the only formal record of the meeting;

That I was appointed to be the Editor of the Proceedings of the meeting by CHEMAL and a book was to be published as a formal record of the meeting with the consent of the respective authors;

That Professor Yiqing Zhou has requested in writing that he would withdraw his

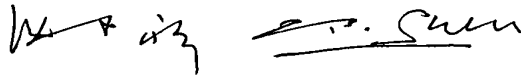
paper from any such publication;

That I had withdrawn his paper and the book later published this year entitled "Antimalarial Drug Development in China" does not contain his paper as described above;

4. The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Signed at Beijing, China

This Eighteenth day of January 1992;

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jiaxiang Shen", with a horizontal line drawn underneath the name.

Jiaxiang Shen